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EFFECTIVE DATE: 12/22/2015 COURT CASE #:

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Notice of Lifting of Suspension Date:

TO: { Directors Of Field Operations, Port Directors }

FROM: { Director AD/CVD & Revenue Policy & Programs }

RE: Notice of preliminary determination in the countervailing duty investigation of certain cold-rolled steel flat products from the Russian Federation (C-462-823)

1. On 12/22/2015, Commerce published in the Federal Register its preliminary affirmative determination and alignment of its final determination in the countervailing duty investigation of certain cold-rolled steel flat products from the Russian Federation from 02/28/2016 until no later than 05/09/2016, thereby aligning it with the due date for the final determination in the antidumping duty investigation of certain cold-rolled steel flat products from the Russian Federation (80 FR 79564).
2. The products covered by this investigation are described in message 5237304, dated 08/25/2015.
3. This investigation has been assigned investigation number C-821-823. For CBP purposes only, the investigation number C-462-823 should be used.
4. For imports of certain cold-rolled steel flat products from the Russian Federation, CBP shall suspend liquidation of such shipments entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after 12/22/2015. Effective 12/22/2015, CBP shall require, for such entries, a cash deposit equal to the subsidy rates for the producers and/or exporters listed below:

Producer and/or Exporter: All Others

Case number: C-462-823-000

Subsidy rate: 6.33%

Producer and/or Exporter: NLMK Companies

Case number: C-462-823-001

Subsidy rate: 6.33%

Note: The NLMK Companies include the following entities: Novolipetsk Steel OJSC, Novex Trading (Swiss) S.A., Altai-Koks OJSC, Dolomite OJSC, Stoilensky OJSC, Studenovskaya (Stagdok) OJSC, Trading House LLC, Vtorchermet NLMK LLC, Vtorchermet OJSC, and

Vtorchermet NLMK Center LLC.

5. Commerce found that a de minimis margin of 0.00 percent exists for imports of certain cold-rolled steel flat products from the Russian Federation that were produced and/or exported by the Severstal Companies (C-462-823-002). Therefore, CBP shall not suspend liquidation of such shipments entered, or withdrawn from warehouse, for consumption on or after 12/22/2015.

Note: The Severstal Companies include the following entities: PAO Severstal, Severstal Export GmbH, JSC Karelsky Okatysh, AO OLKON, AO Vorkutaugol, and JSC Vtorchermet.

6. If there are any questions by the importing public regarding this message, please contact the Call Center for the Office of AD/CVD Operations, Enforcement and Compliance, International Trade Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce at (202) 482-0984. CBP ports should submit their inquiries through authorized CBP channels only. (This message was generated by OIII:KJ.)

7. There are no restrictions on the release of this information.

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Company Details

*Party Indicator Value:

I = Importer, M = Manufacturer, E = Exporter, S = Sold To Party